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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. Eight only

Part B for December 1941

SUBJECT.

Recruitment for the Royal Indian Navy.

K.V.K. Krishnan.
23-12-41

Recruitment for the Royal Indian Navy.

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Serial No. 14

From The Secy to the Hon'ble the Resident
F. 73-40/W dated 25th Octr. 41 re: the visit of the Naval Recruiting Officer H.M.I.S Bahadur to Mysore to recruit boys for the Royal Indian Navy.

(1) The Collection re the visit of the Recruiting Party to Bangalore in July last is placed below for perusal. If approved the news projected will be awaited and copy of the Resy letter with the tour programme will be sent to the DMs & SPs for information and publicity. The P.O may also issue a Press Communique as on the last occasion

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A + Q

A reply is requested to the Residency re: Para 3 of the letter - Arrangements at Mysore on the 21st + 22nd Decr. 41. In Bangalore, the Station Staff Officer is making the necessary arrangements. Submitted for perusal and orders as to the place where accommodation has to be found for the Party at Mysore

RS 27/+

(2) As on the previous occasion a Press Communique may be issued & copies sent to the DCs Mysore & Kolar for wide publication.

(3) As regards advertising the visit, it may be mentioned that details of the tour in the District may be published in the local

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General and Revenue Secretariat

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No. 3985

leading Englishes + Vernaculars papers (i) Daily Post (ii) Deccan Herald (iii) Tamil Nadu (iv) Vishwakarnataka & (v) Al Hakam. Publicity effect may also be considered.

4) In regard to accommodation at Mysore, it is suggested that a few rooms in the New Indian Officers' Quarters may be placed at their disposal. The D.C. Mysore may be requested to place the question of the disposal of the office for interviewing the candidates

Sd.
25/10/41

Submitted 5) Action proposed in the office note may be approved.

Law Minister & Dewan

Sd.
27.10.41

6) Sd.
27/10

7) Sd.
31/10/41

8) Submitted with a draft reply to the Residency for consideration. The file may be passed by the Registrar also in reservation of few rooms (rent free) for the living accommodation of the party on the 21st & 22nd Dec. 41. Further action in publicity will be taken after the receipt of the new prospectus.

28/11/41

(9) Sd. draft &
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Issue Pd. 783 a 1st Nov 41 to 1st/11th Regt.
962 " to the D.C. Mysore.

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10) The file will be sent to the P.O for issuing a Press Communique on the last occasion if approved.

PS 11/XI

F.O.

11) 1/11

12) 1.11.41

13) Dft. Press Note is put up for kind apprl.

JSG 3/11/41.

eM 3/11/41

14) Approved as corrected

3.11.41

15) Press Note issued (in Engl. & Urdu) and the file returned to C.T.B. (War Sectt:)

16) From The Secy to the Hon'ble the Resident D.O.No F.73-4/W 7 10th Nov. 41 requesting to intimate whether European food is available at the New Indian guests Quarters.

16) The Naval Recruiting Party, which is visiting Mysore on the ~~22~~ 21st and 22nd Dec. 41. will consist of one officer, one Asst Surgeon, one Warrant schoolmaster and three ratings. It is ascertained that European food is available at the New Indian Guests Quarters. It is for orders whether a refd may be asked free as above or accommodation has to be provided for the officer at Staff Quarters

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NO 3986

As the Naval Commander-in-Chief's Staff Officer may also stay at New Indian Officers' Quarters, it would be convenient if the entire Naval Party can be in one place. The Staff Officer is also close at hand.

Chief Sec. 10/11

18) It is for orders whether we may not accommodate Sub-Lt. Short-Scott at the Staff Quarters.

Dewan) 11/11/41

19) At the Hotel Metropole, preferably.

13/11/41

13/11/41

c) The Registrar may kindly arrange to have a room reserved for the officer at the Hotel Metropole on the 21st and 22nd Dec. 41. The Residency in their letter of 25th Oct. 41 asked only for living accommodation. It is for orders as to who is to bear the charges of the officer.

8 (1st) A reply has to go to the Residency that he will be put up at the Hotel Metropole.

21) 13/11

22) Sd with a draft

23) 13/11

GS 13/XI)

Insd Pol. 867 dt 14th Nov. 41 to the Resy.

CHIEF SECRETARY. 13. NOV. 1941 GOVT. OF MYSORE.

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24) The file will now be sent to the Registrar for reservation of a room at the Hotel Metropole.

RS 14/XI

25) For favour of new file

for 14/11

New Part. S.W.D.

26) The Chief Engineer has been requested to arrange for the reservation of the room in the Hotel Metropole. A copy of letter is placed below.

DD 14/11

27) Asst. Secy: C.B. W.E. DD 15/11/41

Bm 14/11 Pm 14/11

18 from The Secy to G. Herbert Reid F. 73-40/W dated 14th Nov. 41 forwarding 20 copies of the pamphlet.

28) Press Notes in Kannada and English have already issued re: the visit of the Party in this Sheet and 100 copies of each of the Press Notes have been sent to the D Ms for wide publicity. As suggested by this Govt the visit has also been published in the Daily Post. A copy of the pamphlet each will be sent to the D Ms for information, requesting them to give publicity to the visit and inviting reference to the Press Note. Sent for perusal 29) Yr

RS 2/12

Sent with a draft as for to the D Ms Mysore.

RS 4/12

Issued 1083-91/W dated 4th Dec. 41 to the D Ms Mysore.

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General and Revenue Secretariat

31) The file will be sent to the Regr to kindly see that the officers staying at the Hotel Mahajan and the others only at the New India Guests Quarters (Vide orders in Para 19 supra).

RS 4/12 OS

for C.S.P.

Noted & returned

for 5/12

5/12/41

From The Asst to the Hon'ble the Revenue Member 20

F. 73-40/W re: arrangements for a lantern lecture at Mysore in Boys' School.

Perhaps the D.M. Mysore may be requested to arrange for the lecture at the Maharaja's High School. Submitted for perusal and orders.

RS 5/12

Draft thereon for C.S.P.

RS 6/12

Submitted with a draft for consideration in the alternative that Simple Intermediate Course in Hindustani may be introduced in the Head masters, Govt. High School may arrange. The scheme of lectures may be kept in the local option to decide for C.S.P.

for perusal.

Law minister & Edn. minister

for 8/12

6/12/41

10.12.41

11/12

11/12

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Issued no. Pol. 1050/W dt 11-12-41 to the Resy.
" " 1087/41 " to the D.M. Mys.

OFFICE OF THE MINISTER FOR EDUCATION
Date 9.12.41
No. 3191

OFFICE OF THE MINISTER FOR [illegible]
DEC 6 19[illegible]
No. 5646

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I have discussed this with the Ch. Sec. He said we need not press the point regarding charges for. Apply CE according to F 12/12

No. 223
15/12/1941

A copy of the letter addressed to the Chief Engineer is putup for information.

Chief Secy) 13/12
W/C.)

CHIEF SECRETARY
15 DEC. 1941
GOVT. OF MYSORE.

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13/12

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From

The Army to the Hon'ble the Resident
F. 73-4/W & 4th March 42 re. the Naval
Recruiting Officer's visit to Bangalore on the
15th April. 42.

The Naval Recruiting Officer's Tour
Programme has already been published in the
leading newspapers. As usual, a Press Note
may be issued by the P. O. A copy of the letter
with the programme will be sent to the D M
Blore also for information.

It is seen from Para 3 that the Officer
has requested the D P I for assistance in the matter.
If approved, the D P I will be requested by this Office
to render him all possible assistance.
Submitted for perusal and orders.

RS 5/3

The Recruiting officer's Tour programme
should be published by the P.O. for being
may be placed on the Press Table.

The letter to the D.P.I may be
put up for sign.

Thro 6/3.

Submitted with a draft to the D P I with a copy to the D M Bloore

RS 6/3

for sign.

Chief Secy) Thro 6/3

Please send a copy of
Tour programme
to the P.O.

Issued 1938 7th March 42 & DPI.
1939 " A M Bloore

CHIEF SECRETARY
6 - MAR 19[illegible]
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WD 04155—GPB—55,000—23-10-41

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The file will be sent to the P.O for with and return.

(RS 7/3)

P.O) 7/3. 9/3/42

Returned. The correspondence has been placed on the Key Table

W.-I.O. SL) 7/3 9/3/42

W 9-40-14

The reply to this communication should be addressed to the Secretary to the Resident in Mysore, Bangalore, by designation and not by name.

No. F.73-40/W.

754/W

FROM

THE SECRETARY TO THE HON'BLE THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE.

To

The Chief Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, Bangalore.

Dated Bangalore, the 25th October *1941*.

Recruitment for the Royal Indian Navy.

SIR,

I am directed to say that the Naval Recruiting Officer, H.M.I.S. 'Bahadur', will be visiting Mysore and Bangalore during December 1941 to recruit boys for the Seaman/Stoker and Communication Branches of the Royal Indian Navy. A copy of the tour programme and conditions of service is enclosed. A new prospectus is under preparation and copies will be sent as soon as they are received.

2. The Recruiting party will consist of one Officer, one Assistant Surgeon, one Warrant Schoolmaster and three ratings.

3. The Hon'ble the Resident would be grateful if arrangements could kindly be made to provide -

(1) living accommodation for the party at Mysore from the afternoon of the 21st to the afternoon of the 22nd December 1941 and

(2) office accommodation including if possible one small office for interviewing, one large room for written examinations and one medical inspection room, for recruitment of candidates on the morning of 22nd December 1941 at Mysore.

Recruitment at Bangalore will be carried out at the Army Recruiting Office, and accommodation is being arranged by the Station Staff Officer, Bangalore.

4. Details of the tour will be published in 'The Mail' and 'The Hindu' towards the end of November 1941. It would be much appreciated if wide publicity could be given to the visit

in the State, and any suggestions which you may have to offer for advertising the visit in the State would be most welcome.

5. I am to request the favour of a very early reply.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

for SECRETARY TO THE RESIDENT.

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ROYAL INDIAN NAVY

THE NAVAL RECRUITING OFFICER FOR BOYS, H.M.I.S. 'BAHADUR'

SOUTH INDIA - RECRUITING TOUR PROGRAMME.

(in Mysore State)

The following places will be visited by the above Officer in December 1941 to recruit BOYS AGED 15 & 16 for the Seaman, Stoker and Communication Branches. Recruitment will take place at 9 A.M. on the dates mentioned. (Further particulars regarding the recruiting venue in each place will be published in the 'Madras Mail' and "Hindu".)

	Thursday	11th December	WALTAIR
	Saturday	13th "	TRICHINOPOLY
	MONDAY	15th "	PALGHAT
	TUESDAY	16th "	ERNAKULAM
	WEDNESDAY	17th "	CALICUT
	THURSDAY	18th "	CANNANORE
	SATURDAY	20th "	MERCARA
✓	MONDAY	22nd "	MYSORE (Dist. Office Court Hall)
✓	TUESDAY	23rd "	BANGALORE (Army Recruiting Office).
	FRIDAY	26th "	MADRAS) (Pudupet Lines)
	SATURDAY	27th "	MADRAS)

Boys accepted will be required to report to Navy Office, Madras at 10 A.M. on Monday 29th December 1941 and will leave the same day to Karachi for training in H.M.I.S. "BAHADUR", the Senior Boys' Training Establishment, Manora, Sind.

CONDITIONS OF SERVICE ETC.

Age	...	15 and 16 (up to the age of 17).	Pay	... Rs.15/- per month
Height.	...	5ft. 1inch	Service	... 12 years from age 16 plus 10 years on Reserve if required.
Mean Chest Measurement	..	30 inches.	Food.	... Non-vegetarian - Free.
Education Seaman/Stoker Branch.		5th Standard English or Urdu.	Uniform	... Free
Communication Branch		Matriculation Standard) School Leaving Certificate S.S.L.C. Standard)	Leave	30 days every year, subject to Service requirements.

→ A good knowledge of English and very good handwriting are essential.

Application forms and further information can be obtained from the Commanding Officer, H.M.I.S. "BAHADUR", Manora, Sind.

IMPORTANT. Applicants MUST bring the written consent of parents or legal guardians witnessed by responsible persons.

To

The Secy. to the Resident.

Sir,

Recruitment for the Royal Indian Navy.

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With reference to your letter No.F.73-40/W dated the 25th October 1941 on the above subject I am directed to state that necessary arrangements will be made for living accommodation for the party at the New Indian Guests Quarters at Mysore and for office accommodation in the Court Hall of the Dy. Commr., Mysore, on the morning of the 22nd December 1941.

As desired wide publicity will be given to the visit of the party in the State through the Dist. Magistrates of Dists. and the Publicity Officer. I am ~~also~~ to suggest that details of the tour may be ~~advertised~~ in the local English and Vernacular Newspapers (Daily Post, Deshabandhu, Tai Nadu, Visvakarnataka and Alkalam) ~~by the Officer-in-charge of the Recruiting Party as in the case of~~ the "Mail" and the "Hindu".

I have etc.,

Chief Secy. to Govt.

Copy to the Dy. Commr. Mysore, with a copy of Residency letter and with a request that the Court Hall may kindly be reserved for the use of the Party on the morning of the 22nd Decr. 1941.

Copy to O.B

Rel 783
W 4-40-15

1st November 1941.

The

Recruitment for the Royal Indian Navy.

With reference to your letter No.P.73-40/W dated the 25th October 1941 on the above subject, I am directed to state that necessary arrangements will be made for living accommodation for the party at the New Indian Guests Quarters at Mysore and for office accommodation in the Court Hall of the Deputy Commissioner, Mysore, on the morning of the 22nd December 1941.

As desired, wide publicity will be given to the visit of the party in the State through the District Magistrates of Districts and the Publicity Officer. As regards the further measures of advertising the visit of the Recruiting Officer in the State, I am to suggest that details of the tour may be arranged to be published in the local English and Vernacular Newspapers (Daily Post (English), Deshabandhu, Tai Nadu, Visvakarnataka (Kannada Dailies) and Alkalam (Urdu)) simultaneously with the publication in "The Mail" and "The Hindu".

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

(Sd.) B.T. Kesavaiengar.
For Chief Secretary to Government.

Memo No. 962/W Dated the 1st November 1941.

Copy of the above Enc is forwarded with compliments to the Deputy Commissioner, Mysore District, with a copy of Residency letter and with a request that the Court Hall may kindly be reserved for the use of the Party on the morning of the 22nd December 1941.

For Chief Secretary to Government.

D.O.No.F.73-40/W. W 9-40-16. 804/W.

Bangalore,
10th November 1941.

Recruitment for the Royal Indian Navy.

D.O. 10-11-41

My Dear Kesavaiengar,

I am desired to refer to your letter No.Pol. 783/W, dated the 1st November 1941, and to request you kindly to let me know whether European food is available at the New Indian Guests Quarters at Mysore since at least the Officer in charge of the party Sub-Lieutenant Sweet Escott of the Royal Indian Navy is a European.

Yours sincerely,

Rajasevaprasakta
Mr.B.T.Kesavaiengar, B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Bangalore.

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SUBJECT.....

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Section War
File No. 4-40
Serial No. 14

Diary No. of letter replied to.....

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Date of issue 14. 11. 1941

Signed by Mr. S. K. V.

No. Rel 867

To The Secy to the Hon'ble the Resident
Recruitment for the Royal Indian Navy

Sir, With reference to your D.O
no F.73-40/41 dated 10th Nov. 41
I am directed to state that
necessary arrangements will be made
to post up Sub. Lt. Srivastava Escort
the officer in charge of the Party, at
the Hotel Metropole when
Europeans [illegible] is received at

Thanks

for
12/11
For Chief Secy to Govt

List of enclosures.....

Copied by .....

Examined by.....

WD 03695—GPB—30,000—29-1-40

13th November 1941.
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The

Recruitment for the Royal Indian Navy.

With reference to your D.O. letter No.F.73-40/W dated the 10th November 1941, I am directed to state that necessary arrangements will be made to put up Sub-Lieutenant Sweet Escott the officer in charge of the Party, at the Hotel Metropole where European food is available.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

For Chief Secretary to Government.

No. P.W. 3043/5
ENCLS.

PUBLIC WORKS SECRETARIAT,

Dated Bangalore, 18th November *1941*

FROM

The *Secretary to Government,*
Public Works Department,
Bangalore.

To

The Chief Engineer of Mysore,
Public Works Department,
B a n g a l o r e.

SIR, Subject:- Recruitment for the Royal Indian Navy.

I am directed to forward herewith a copy of letter No.Pol.867 dated 14th November 1941 from the Chief Secretary to Government to the Residency re. the accommodation for Sub. Lieutenant Sweet Escott of the Royal Indian Navy, in the Hotel Metropole, Mysore, on the 21st and 22nd December 1941, and to request that a room in the Hotel Metropole may kindly be arranged to be reserved for the use of the naval officer on the dates referred to, free of rent.

2. Action taken may kindly be intimated.

I have the honour to be,
S i r,
Your most obedient servant,

Sd/- N. Sarabhoja
Secretary to Government,
Public Works Department.
for (in charge)

A.N.

Copy
18/11/41

The reply to this communication should be addressed to the Secretary to the Resident in Mysore, Bangalore, by designation and not by name.

WM-110-18 L.C.986

875/W.

No. F.73-40/W.

FROM

THE SECRETARY

TO THE HON'BLE THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE.

SECRETARY, 2 DEC. 1941 TO GOVT OF MYSORE.

To

The Chief Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Bangalore.

CB(Journ) 1M 2/12

Dated Bangalore, the ~~Novr.~~ 18th Decr. *194*1.

Recruitment for the Royal Indian Navy.

SIR,

I am directed to refer to my letter No.F.73-40/W, dated the 25th October 1941 and to forward 20 copies of the recruiting pamphlet for the Royal Indian Navy.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

for SECRETARY TO THE RESIDENT.

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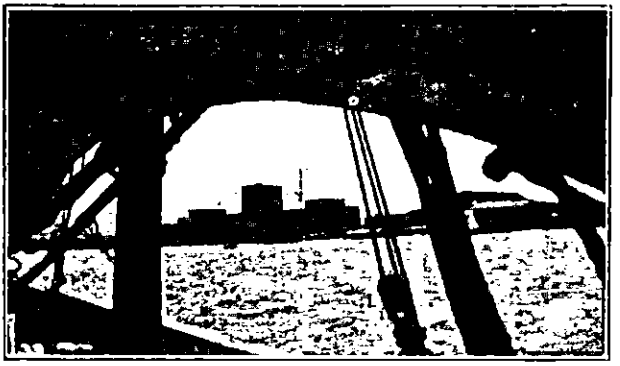
THE ROYAL INDIAN NAVY

AS A CAREER

AND HOW TO JOIN IT



H. M. I. S. "BAHADUR,"
BOYS TRAINING ESTABLISHMENT,
MANORA, SIND.

1941—1942

RECRUITING PAMPHLET

THE ROYAL INDIAN NAVY

As a Career and How to Join it

This pamphlet describes life in the Navy and conditions of Service and indicates the kind of career and prospects which lie ahead of **Boys** aged 15 and 16 (up to the age of 17) who wish to join the Royal Indian Navy and enter for training through H. M I. S "BAHADUR," the Senior Boys Training Establishment, Manora, Sind.

PART I - THE NAVY AS A CAREER

History and Traditions

Since 1612 India has possessed a Navy with great traditions under different names, such as the Bombay Marine, the Indian Navy and the Royal Indian Marine. Against pirates and foreign powers this Navy has been in almost continuous action throughout the centuries round the Indian Ocean. In times of peace it has done much valuable survey work. The Royal Indian Navy was granted its present title in October 1934, and since then has been expanding more and more each year. From the beginning of the present war, the Royal Indian Navy has co-operated with the forces of the Empire in many spheres of activity such as the Red Sea, Persian Gulf and Atlantic Ocean besides doing its normal work of looking after the defence of Indian ports and the ocean waterways round India.

Service Ashore and Afloat

A man who joins the Navy spends part of his service ashore training and part afloat on active service. The best age at which to join is 15 or 16. At this age boys obtain full Naval training for about 18 months before going to sea. Afterwards they may serve in sloops, corvettes, anti-submarine and patrol ships, or minesweepers and may be absent from home waters for long periods.

Boys Training Establishment

Boys after recruitment are sent for training to H. M. I. S. "BAHADUR", the Boys Training Establishment situated on Manora Island facing the entrance to Karachi harbour. The buildings, completed in May 1940, are up-to-date and equipped with all facilities for Naval training. The general education of boys is continued and is combined with Naval Subjects in the Seamanship, Boatwork, Gunnery, Signals and Engineering Sections.

Seaman/Stoker and Communication Branches

Boys may join either the Seaman/Stoker or the Communication Branch provided they pass the prescribed Naval Educational and Medical Examinations and possess the qualifications shown on page 9.

Those who join the Seaman/Stoker Branch, after a short period and at the discretion of the Commanding Officer, are separated into Seaman Boys and Stoker Boys according to Service requirements. Consideration will be given to the preferences of boys wherever possible but it must be understood by all boys on joining that they are liable for service in any Branch.

Syllabus of Training

All boys on joining irrespective of the branch to which they belong are given elementary instruction in Seamanship, Boatwork, Signals and parade ground drill to fit them for taking part in the organisation of a warship. After joining their respective branches, they specialize in the following subjects:—

Seaman Boys—Seamanship, Boatwork, Gunnery.

Stoker Boys—Engineering.

Communication Boys–Visual Signalling or Wireless Telegraphy.

General Education.

Seaman and Stoker Boys

All are divided into Advanced, Upper and Lower Classes according to qualifications. Every class learns Roman Urdu English, Mathematics, History and Geography. The Upper Class learns Navigation in addition while the Advanced Class also does Navigation and the additional subjects, Mechanics, Magnetism and Electricity.

Communication Boys

For the first few months all Communication Boys study English, Mathematics, Magnetism and Electricity. Boys are then selected for the Visual Signalling (V/S) or Wireless Telegraphy (W/T) Branches according to proficiency and Service requirements. V/S Boys learn English, Mathematics, General Knowledge and Navigation. W/T Boys learn W/T Theory.

Examinations are held at the end of each course.

Seamanship and Boatwork

Seamanship is the basic knowledge which all seamen must acquire before they can be of use in the organisation of a ship. It covers a wide field of activities from the tying of simple knots to the manoeuvring of a giant ship. Boys in "BAHADUR" are given a thorough grounding in this subject to fit them for their future career. Starting with such subjects as ship's organisation and the mariner's compass, they gradually progress in their final course to steering a ship and the intricacies of minesweeping gear. The all-important use of small boats which has been brought out in the present war, is also part of the Seamanship course. Boys are taught how to row and sail naval boats and the

management of the various types of boats used by a modern warship, including fast motor boats. The aim is to turn out keen and intelligent young seamen who will have a thorough knowledge of all the aspects of seamanship when joining their first sea-going man o' war.

Gunnery

Boys are taught the essential and elementary principles underlying the main branches of modern naval gunnery. At first instruction is confined to parade ground drill which is necessary for discipline and the production of smart, quick-thinking ratings. Afterwards boys begin training in the gunnery subjects upon which the fighting efficiency of warships depend. Briefy these are:—

1. Modern naval guns. How to lay and fire them.
2. Control system for accuracy of fire.
3. Anti-aircraft defence and lookout duties.
4. Ammunition. Supply and care.

To obtain proficiency and knowledge in the above, boys are taught practical gundrill and the theory of other gunnery subjects for application in practice at sea. They also learn the uses of small arms (rifles, automatic guns etc.,) and land fighting methods. Miniature and open rifle ranges are used for the development of marksmanship and the correct handling and aiming of rifles.

Ratings are from time to time required to undergo intensive specialised courses in the R. I. N. Gunnery School during which principles learnt in "BAHADUR" are amplified and combined with more technical knowledge and the latest developments in naval gunnery.

Signals

Boys in the Communication Branch (who enter the esta-

blishment as Communication boys direct) are given technical training in the Signal School. The term "Communication" covers all the methods employed in the Navy for sending messages or communicating between ships at sea, ships and bases or ships and aircraft. After five months the boys are selected to join either the Visual Signalling (V/S) or Wireless Telegraphy (W/T) Branches (see under General Education). Boys then specialize in their department. V/S Boys are trained to signal by Naval Code flags, morse and semaphore using hand flags and mechanical means. W/T Boys are trained to operate and maintain a wireless telegraphy installation both in a ship and on shore. Periodically ratings at sea are sent to H. M. I. Signal School Bombay to obtain more technical training and qualify for advancement to the higher specialized Signal rates.

Engineering (Stokers' Training School)

With the almost universal introduction of oil fuel burning in warships in preference to coal, and the fitting of modern turbines with all their complicated auxiliary machinery, a stoker today requires brain rather than brawn.

Elementary principles of Engineering are taught in "BAHADUR" at the Stokers' Training School where boys showing an aptitude and zeal for practical work are also trained in simple bench work.

On transfer to sea, the principles are applied to actual running machinery, such as dynamos, refrigerating plants or evaporators etc, which, after a further period of training are placed in a stoker's sole charge.

From this time, a stoker's progress and advancement are entirely dependent upon His ability and conduct. Selected

ratings with intelligence and ability may be transferred to the Mechanical Training Establishment, Bombay for more advanced technical instruction and practical training as Engine Room Artificers.

Physica l raining and Games

Every effort is made to build up the physique of boys with P. T. which is a compulsory subject taught in working hours. All boys are instructed in swimming in the Establishment's swimming bath. Sailing and Pulling Regattas are held annually to get boys used to and interested in that side of naval life which is all-important when they eventually go to sea. Games are played in the evenings (Footbali, Hockey and Volleyball). A Cross-country competition is held annually. Boxing instruction is also given and from time to time boxing competitions are held either in the gymnasium or ashore.

Discipline

Careful attention from the start is paid to the discipline of boys and the development of initiative and leadership among them. Those who show promise obtain promotion to the nominal rank of Leading Boy and Boy Petty Officer, thus gaining certain privileges. At Divisions in the morning and Evening Quarters at 4 p.m. all boys parade and are mustered. At the former parade they are inspected by Divisional Officers who see that they are properly dressed according to Service custom and rules and that uniform is clean and in repair.

Medical Attention

A Medical Officer is attached to the Establishment and under his charge is the Sick Bay where boys are treated and can be detained for short periods. Serious cases are sent to the I. G. H. Karachi. Boys on joining are vaccinated

and inoculated. Their teeth are also examined and boys requiring treatment are sent to a qualified shore dentist.

Bathing and Sanitation

Bathing in the morning is compulsory for all boys and is part of the routine. Sprays and basins are provided. A modern sanitary system is installed in all the latrines. A barber's shop is adjacent to the boys' messes.

Meals

Boys have three meals a day, at 8 a. m., 1 p. m., and 7 p.m. On turning out in the morning boys are given tea. Hot milk is supplied at breakfast. Food is non-vegetarian and consists of chapattis, rice and meat dishes and bread. (For particulars see p. 13). Rations are issued to boys on a definite ration scale based on Service experience over a number of years. The quality and quantity is continually being checked and supervised. All boys mess together and there is no discrimination between boys of different castes and creeds. This is particularly impressed upon all boys before they join the Service. Food is prepared in galleys, the naval term for kitchens; these are adjacent to the messes and are well-equipped with oil-fired ovens under the care of Ships Cooks.

There is a Canteen attached to the Establishment where boys may buy sweets, fruits, mineral waters, stationery and such things as toothpaste, soap etc. at moderate prices.

PART II-CONDITIONS OF SERVICE

Age

Boys are recruited for the Seaman, Stoker and Communication Branches of the Service at the age of 15 and 16. (up to the age of 17) Copies of birth certificates should wherever available and existing be produced at the time of recruitment.

Enrolment

All boy ratings are enrolled under the Indian Naval Discipline Act 1934, and swear the Oath of Allegiance. The consent of a boy's father (or mother if father is deceased or legal guardian if both parents are deceased) must be obtained in writing duly witnessed by a responsible person as a condition to enrolment.

When boys report for selection at a recruiting centre, they should if possible be accompanied by their parent or legal guardian. Boys must produce the required form of consent at the time of recruitment (see back page).

The period of enrolment of a boy begins from the date of enrolment, provided he is not less than 16 years of age on that date. In cases where a Boy has not attained the age of 16 years, he will be enrolled for the extra period necessary to complete 12 years of enrolled service as from the date of attaining the age of 16 years.

Service

Boys are enrolled for a period of 12 years continuous Service, followed by 10 years in the Reserve if required. Selected ratings will be permitted to re-enroll to complete time for pension.

Service for Pension

Service for Pension will count from the date on which

a Boy is advanced to Ordinary Seaman, Stoker 2nd Class, Ordinary Signalman or Ordinary Telegraphist as the case may be, provided he is over 18 years of age at that time.

Physical Requirements

All boys are required to pass a medical examination. Particular attention is paid to eyesight and hearing which must be normal. Boys must not be colour blind or colour ignorant. Height must not be less than 5 ft. 1 inch. and the mean chest measurement must not be less than 30 inches.

Educational Qualifications

All boys are required to pass the prescribed naval educational examination.

Seaman/Stoker Branch

Boys from North India must have studied up to 6th Standard Urdu or English and be able to speak English or Hindustani. Boys having an elementary knowledge of English will be given preference. Boys from South India must have passed English or Urdu 4th standard and be able to speak English or Hindustani.

Communication Branch

Boys must have a *good* knowledge of English and must have *very good* handwriting They must have passed the Matriculation Examination or possess the School Leaving Certificate or S. S. L. C. Boys who have failed to matriculate or have not sat for matriculation may be accepted provided they are fully up to the standard required for the naval examination.

Pay. Boys under training (for about 18 months) are paid Rs. 15/- per month plus an additional war messing allowance of Re. 1/- per month. After boys go to sea and on advancement (about two years after enrolment) monthly scales of pay are as follows:-

Seaman Branch		Stoker Branch		Communication Branch	
Ordinary Seaman	Rs. 20-1-22	Stoker II	Rs. 20-1-22	Ordinary Signalman Ordinary Tel.	Rs. 26-2-30
Able Seaman	,, 25-1-30	Stoker I	,, 25-1-30	Signalman Telegraphist	,, 34-2-38
Leading Seaman	,, 34-2-40	Leading Stoker	,, 34-2-40	Leading Signalman Leading Tel:	,, 44-2-48
Petty Officer	,, 50-5-60	Stoker P. O.	,, 50-5-60	Yeoman of Signals P. O. Tel.	,, 55-5-75
Chief Petty Officer	,, 70-5-85	Chief Stoker Mechanician II	70-5-85	Chief Yeoman C. P. O. Tel.	,, 85-5-100
		Mechanician I	90-5-100		
		Chief Mechanician	100-5-120		
Warrant Officer*	,, 130-270	Warrant Mechanician*	,, 130-270	Signal Boatswain Warrant Tel.*	,, 130-270

*Plus Rs. 2/- p. d. in lieu of rations.

Abbreviations- P.O. - Petty Officer. C.P.O. - Chief Petty Officer Tel. - Telegraphist.

Allowances

For proficiency and qualifying in various subjects of branches in the Navy monthly allowances are given as follows:—

Seaman Branch

Quarters Rating 3rd Class Control Rating 3rd Class Layer Rating 3rd Class Anti-Aircraft Rating 3rd Class	Rs. 2/-
Quarters Rating 2nd Class Control Rating 2nd Class Layer Rating 2nd Class Anti-Aircraft Rating 2nd Class	Rs. 4/-
Quarters Rating 1st Class Control Rating 1st Class Layer Rating 1st Class Anti-Aircraft Rating 1st Class	Rs. 10/-
G. M. (Gunners Mate)	Rs. 14/-
Diver 2nd Class	Rs. 2/- Plus diving
Diver 1st Class	Rs. 4/- Allowances
P. & R. T. I. 2nd Class	Rs. 2/-
P. & R. T. I. 1st Class	Rs. 4/-
Staff P. & R. T. I.	Rs. 7/-
Senior Staff P. & R. T. I.	Rs. 10/-
Submarine Detector	Rs. 4/-
Higher Submarine Detector	Rs. 7/-
Submarine Detector Instructor	Rs. 10/-

Communication Branch

Visual Signalmen

Trained Operator	Rs. 3/-
Visual Signalman 3rd Class	Rs. 6/-
Visual Signalman 2nd Class	Rs. 10/-
Visual Signalman 1st Class	Rs. 12/-

Wireless Telegraphists

Trained Operator	Rs. 5/-
Wireless Telegraphist 3rd Class	Rs. 7/-
Wireless Telegraphist 2nd Class	Rs. 12/-
Wireless Telegraphist 1st Class	Rs. 15/-

Good Conduct Pay

Payable to Ordinary Seamen, Stoker 2nd Class, Ordinar Signalmen, Ordinary Telegraphists and above.

After 4 years approved service	Rs. 2/- p.m.
,, 8 ,, ,, ,,	Rs. 3/ ,,
,, 12 ,, ,, ,,	Rs. 4/- ,,

Compulsory Retirement

This will ordinarily be at the following ages:—

Chief Petty Officers, Petty Officers	45
Leading Rates	40
All other Rates	35

Pensions

Ratings selected to complete time for pensions will receive pensions similar to those in force in the Indian Army. Disability Pension is allowed according to rules and disability of rating. Family Pensions are given in cases where death is attributable to Naval Service.

Rations Food is *NON-VEGETARIAN*. The ration scale provides for bread, rice or atta, fresh meat with bone 17½%, onions, fresh vegetables, potatoes, condiments, ghee, sugar, tea, salt and fresh milk (for boys only).

Uniform and Clothing Allowance

Boys are issued with uniform and the modified kit provided for boys. Private clothing is not permitted to be worn on service or whilst on short leave. A kit allowance of annas ten per month *in cash* is allowed to boys on completion of 6 months. A clothing allowance of Rs. 10/- per quarter *in kind* is allotted on completion of 9 months

Probationary Period

Boy ratings will be on probation for the first two years of service, and are liable to summary discharge under the order of the Commanding Officer, H. M. I. S. "BAHADUR." All ratings are liable to discharge at any time, if their services are no longer required.

Boys must clearly understand that they are joining the Navy in which they often have to face hardship and discomfort. All ratings whatever their religion or status, live, mess, wash and work together whether they are Seamen, Stokers, Signalmen or Telegraphists.

PART III - HOW TO JOIN

Applications should be sent to the Commanding Officer, H. M. I. S. "BAHADUR" Manora, Sind. They should be made out in the form shown on pages 14 and 15.

Boys who have passed their 17th birthday are *not* eligible. They should apply to the Commanding Officer, R. I. N. Depot, Bombay for particulars regarding enrolment as Special Service Ratings.

ROYAL INDIAN NAVY.

Application form for entry into H.M.I.S. "BAHADUR," Boys Training Establishment, Manora, Sind.

Name of Applicant in Full (BLOCK LETTERS)

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Address (Give Name of Village or Street, Post Office, Tehsil or Taluk, and District)

_____

Nearest Railway Station_____ Railway _____

Religion_____ Caste _____

Age (Give exact date of birth if known)_____

Present Occupation (If at school, state which school. If in business, give name, type and address of business)

_____

Height_____feet_____ inches _____

Weight_____ lbs.

Chest measurement (limits of expansion) _____ inches

Passed _____ $\frac{\text{Vernacular}}{\text{English}}$ Standard _____

year_____

Passed* _____Anglo-Vernacular Standard _____

year_____

* State whether matriculated or not.

Can applicant read and write English? _____

Can applicant read and write Urdu or Hindustani ?_____

Does applicant eat meat ?_____

Will applicant serve overseas outside India ? _____

Name of Applicant's Father _____Occupation_____

Name of Applicant's Mother (if father deceased)_____

Name of Applicant's Legal Guardian (if both parents deceased)

_____ _____Relationship_____

Address_____

_____

Can applicant obtain written and witnessed consent of father (or mother if father deceased or legal guardian if both parents deceased) to join the Royal Indian Navy ?_____

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT_____

State whether applicant wishes to join Seaman/Stoker or Communication Branch

_____

This Application should be forwarded to the following address:—

The Commanding Officer, H.M.I.S. "BAHADUR"
Manora, Sind.

R. I. N. 6.

FORM OF CONSENT.

I consent to the enrolment in His Majesty's Royal Indian Naval service of

2. I understand and accept the terms and conditions of service in the Royal Indian Navy.

Signature of Father or Guardian.

Address

Occupation

I certify that this Form was signed by the father or guardian of in my presence.

Witness

Name

Address

Occupation

Note:—The witness should be a Justice of the Peace, Minister of Religion or a householder of standing, *e.g.*, a tradesman.

Office of the Publicity Officer,
to the Government of Mysore,
Public Offices,
Bangalore, dated 3rd November 1941.

PRESS NOTE

RECRUITMENT TO THE ROYAL INDIAN NAVY

The Naval Recruiting Officer for Boys, H.M.I.S., 'Bahadur' South India, will visit the Mysore and Bangalore in December 1941 to recruit Boys aged 15 & 16 for the Seaman, Stoker and Communication Branches of the Royal Indian Navy. Recruitment will take place at the following places on the dates noted below.

Monday 22nd December	.. MYSORE (District Office Court Hall)
Tuesday 23rd "	.. BANGALORE (Army Recruiting Office)

Boys accepted will be required to report to the Navy Office, Madras at 10 A.M. on Monday the 29th December 1941 and will leave the same day to Karachi for training in H.M.I.S. "BAHADUR", the Senior Boys' Training Establishment, Manora, Sind.

CONDITIONS OF SERVICE ETC

Age ...	15 and 16 (up to the age of 17)	Pay ...	Rs.15/- per month.
Height ...	5ft. 1 inch.	Service..	12 years from age 18 plus 10 years on Reserve if required.
Mean Chest..	30 inches.	Food ...	Non-Vegetarian Free.
Education .. Seaman/Stoker Branch.	5th Standard English or Urdu.	Uniform..	Free
		Leave ...	30 days every year, subject to Service requirements.

Communication Branch. Matriculation Standard) A good knowledge of English School Leaving Certificate S.S.L.C. Standard) and very good handwriting) are essential.

Application forms and further information can be obtained from the Commanding Officer, H.M.I.S. "BAHADUR", Manora, Sind.

Applicants must bring the written consent of parents or legal guardians witnessed by responsible persons.

C. Narasimha Moorty,

Publicity Officer to the Government of Mysore.

Ground

ಮೈಸೂರು ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಪಬ್ಲಿಸಿಟಿ ಆಫೀಸರ ಆಫೀಸು,
ಅಶೋಕಾಕಜೇರಿ, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು,
ತಾರೀಖು 3ನೆಯು ನವೆಂಬರ್ 1941

ಪ್ರಸಿದ್ಧಪತ್ರಿಕೆ.

ಭರತಖಂಡದ ನೌಕಾದಳಕ್ಕೆ ("ರಾಯಲ್ ಇಂಡಿಯನ್ ನೇವಿಗೆ") ಜನರನ್ನು ಹೊಸದಾಗಿ ಸೇರಿಸಿಕೊಳ್ಳುವುದು.

ಭರತಖಂಡದ ನೌಕಾದಳದ ("ರಾಯಲ್ ಇಂಡಿಯನ್ ನೇವಿ"ಯ) ನಾವಿಕ ಶಾಲೆಯಲ್ಲಿಯೂ, 'ಸ್ಟೋಕರ್' ಶಾಖೆಯಲ್ಲಿಯೂ ಮತ್ತು ವರ್ತಮಾನ (ಕಮ್ಯೂನಿಕೇಷನ್) ಶಾಖೆಯಲ್ಲಿಯೂ ಕೆಲಸಮಾಡಲು 15 ಮತ್ತು 16 ವರ್ಷಗಳ ವಯಸ್ಸಿನ ತರುಣರನ್ನು ಹೊಸದಾಗಿ ನೇಮಕಮಾಡಿಕೊಳ್ಳುವ ಉದ್ದೇಶದಿಂದ ಎಚ್. ಎಂ. ಐ. ಎಸ್. "ಬಹದ್ದೂರ್" ಎಂಬ ನಾಶೆಯ 'ನೇವಲ್ ರಿಕ್ರೂಟಿಂಗ್' ಆಫೀಸರವರು 1941ನೆಯ ಇಸವಿಯ ಡಿಸೆಂಬರ್ ತಿಂಗಳಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಮೈಸೂರಿಗೂ ಮತ್ತು ಬೆಂಗಳೂರಿಗೂ ಆಗಮಿಸುತ್ತಾರೆ. ತರುಣರನ್ನು ನೌಕಾದಳಕ್ಕೆ ಸೇರಿಸಿಕೊಳ್ಳುವ ಕೆಲಸವು ಈ ಕೆಳಗೆ ಕಂಡ ಸ್ಥಳಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಮತ್ತು ಈ ಕೆಳಗೆ ಕಂಡ ತಾರೀಖುಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರಾತಃಕಾಲ 9 ಘಂಟೆಗೆ ನಡೆಯುತ್ತದೆ.

ತಾರೀಖು	ಸ್ಥಳ.
ಡಿಸೆಂಬರ್ 22ನೆಯ ತಾರೀಖು ಸೋಮವಾರ	ಮೈಸೂರು (ಡಿಸ್ಟ್ರಿಕ್ಟ್ ಆಫೀಸಿನ ಕೋರ್ಟ್ ಹಾಲಿನಲ್ಲಿ.)
ಡಿಸೆಂಬರ್ 23ನೆಯ ತಾರೀಖು ಮಂಗಳವಾರ	ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು (ಜನರಲ್ ಸೈನ್ಯಕ್ಕೆ ಸೇರಿಸಿಕೊಳ್ಳುವ ಆಫೀಸಿನಲ್ಲಿ) (ಆರ್ಮಿ ರಿಕ್ರೂಟಿಂಗ್ ಆಫೀಸಿನಲ್ಲಿ)

ಚುನಾಯಿತರಾದ ತರುಣರು 1941ನೆಯ ಇಸವಿ ಡಿಸೆಂಬರ್ 29ನೆಯ ತಾರೀಖು ಸೋಮವಾರದ ದಿವಸ ಪ್ರಾತಃಕಾಲ 10 ಘಂಟೆಗೆ ಮದ್ರಾಸಿನ ನೌಕಾ ಕಛೇರಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ("ನೇವಿ ಆಫೀಸಿನಲ್ಲಿ") ಹಾಜರಾಗಬೇಕಾಗುತ್ತದೆ. ಮತ್ತು ಅವರು ಅದೇ ದಿವಸ ಕರಾಚಿಗೆ ಪ್ರಯಾಣಮಾಡಿ ಸಿಂಧೂದೇಶದ 'ಮನೋರಾ' ಸ್ಥಳದಲ್ಲಿ ಎಚ್. ಎಂ. ಐ. ಎಸ್. "ಬಹದ್ದೂರ್" ನೌಕೆಯ "ಸೀನಿಯರ್ ಬಾಯ್ಸ್ ಎಸ್ಟಾಬ್ಲಿಷ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್" ಎಂಬ ತರಬಿಯತ್ತಿನ ಶಾಖೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ತರಬಿಯತ್ತನ್ನು ಪಡೆಯಬೇಕಾಗುತ್ತದೆ.

ಕೆಲಸದ ಷರತ್ತುಗಳು, ಇತ್ಯಾದಿ.

ವಯಸ್ಸು		15 ಮತ್ತು 16 ವರ್ಷಗಳು (17 ವರ್ಷ ವಯಸ್ಸಿನ ವರೆಗೆ)
ಎತ್ತರ		5 ಅಡಿ 1 ಅಂಗುಲ.
ಎದೆಯ ಸರಾಸರಿ ಅಳತೆ ...		30 ಅಂಗುಲಗಳು.
ವಿದ್ಯಾಭ್ಯಾಸದ ಅರ್ಹತೆ.	ನಾವಿಕ ಅಥವಾ "ಸ್ಟೋಕರ್" ಶಾಖೆಗೆ.	ಇಂಗ್ಲೀಷ್ ಅಥವಾ ಉರ್ದು ಭಾಷೆಯಲ್ಲಿ 5ನೆಯ ತರಗತಿಯ ದರ್ಜೆ ('ಸ್ಟ್ಯಾಂಡರ್ಡ್')
	ವಾರ್ತಾ ಶಾಖೆಗೆ ('ಕಮ್ಯೂನಿಕೇಷನ್')	ಮೆಟ್ರಿಕ್ಯುಲೇಷನ್ ದರ್ಜೆ, ("ಸ್ಕೂಲ್ ಲೀವಿಂಗ್") ಸರ್ಟಿಫಿಕೇಟು ಎಸ್. ಎಸ್. ಎಲ್. ಸಿ. ದರ್ಜೆ [ಇಂಗ್ಲೀಷು ಭಾಷೆಯು ಚನ್ನಾಗಿ ತಿಳಿದಿರಬೇಕು. ಮತ್ತು ಕೈ ಬರೆಹವು ಬಹಳ ಉತ್ತಮವಾಗಿರಬೇಕು.]
ಸಂಬಳ		ತಿಂಗಳು ಒಂದಕ್ಕೆ 15 ರೂಪಾಯಿಗಳು.
ಕೆಲಸದ ಅವಧಿ		16 ವರ್ಷಗಳ ವಯಸ್ಸಿನಿಂದ 12 ವರ್ಷಗಳು. ಇದರ ಜೊತೆಗೆ ಅವಶ್ಯಕ ಬಿದ್ದರೆ, 10 ವರ್ಷಗಳು ರಿಜರ್ವಿನಲ್ಲಿರುವುದು.
ಆಹಾರ		ಮಾಂಸಾಹಾರ ಉಚಿತ.
"ಯೂನಿಫಾರಂ" ಉಡುಪು		ಉಚಿತ.
ರಜ		ವರ್ಷಕ್ಕೆ 30 ದಿವಸಗಳು (ಕೆಲಸದ ತರುಣನ ಅವಶ್ಯಕತೆಗಳಿಗೆ ಒಳಪಟ್ಟು.)

ದರಖಾಸ್ತಿನ ನಮೂನೆಗಳನ್ನೂ ಮತ್ತು ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ವಿವರಗಳನ್ನೂ ಕಮ್ಯಾಂಡಿಂಗ್ ಆಫೀಸರು, ಎಚ್. ಎಂ. ಐ. ಎಸ್. "ಬಹದ್ದೂರ್", ಮನೋರ, ಸಿಂಧ್, ಇವರಿಂದ ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದು.

ಉಮೇದುವಾರರುಗಳು ಅವರ ತಂದೆ ತಾಯಿಗಳು ಅಥವಾ ನ್ಯಾಯಸಮ್ಮತವಾದ ಪೋಷಕರು, ಅವರು ಮೇಲೆ ಕಂಡ ನೌಕಾ ದಳಕ್ಕೆ ಸೇರುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಸಮ್ಮತಿಸಿ ಬರೆದುಕೊಟ್ಟಿರತಕ್ಕ ಮತ್ತು ಅದಕ್ಕೆ ಜವಾಬ್ದಾರರಾದವರು ಸಾಕ್ಷ್ಯದ ರುಜುವನ್ನು ಹಾಕಿರತಕ್ಕ ಪತ್ರವನ್ನೂ ಹಾಜರುಪಡಿಸತಕ್ಕದ್ದು.

ಸಿ. ನರಸಿಂಹಮೂರ್ತಿ,
ಮೈಸೂರು ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಪಬ್ಲಿಸಿಟಿ ಆಫೀಸರು.

WD 3680—GPB—1,000—10-11-41

ROYAL INDIAN NAVY.

THE NAVAL RECRUITING OFFICER FOR BOYS, H. M. I. S. "BAHADUR", Manora, Sind, will visit South India in December 1941 to recruit boys, between the ages of 15 and 17 for the Seaman, Stoker and Communication Branches of the Royal Indian Navy.

PROGRAMME:

DATE.	PLACE.
11th Dec.	Waltair
13th ,,	Trichinopoly (Recruiting Office)
15th ,,	Palghat
16th ,,	Ernakulam (T. B)
18th ,,	Mangalore
19th ,,	Cannanore
20th ,,	Mercara
22nd ,,	Mysore
23rd ,,	Bangalore (Recruiting Office)
26th ,,	Madras } Pudupet Lines)
27th ,,	Madras }

CONDITIONS OF SERVICE

Education.—4th Standard Urdu or English for Seaman Stoker Branches and Matriculation for Communication Branch.

Height—5' 1"

Chest (mean).—30'

Pay.—Rs. 15 p. m.

Uniform.—Free.

Food.—Non-vegetarian, free.

Enrolment.—12 years followed by 10 years in the Reserve if required.

Important.—Boys must bring written and witnessed consent of parents or legal guardians to the place of recruitment.

GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

No. 1083-91/W.Rnal.1.

General and Revenue Secretariat,

Dated Bangalore, 4th December *1941.*

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FROM

The Chief Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

The District Magistrates of Districts.

SIR,

Recruitment for the Royal Indian Navy.

I am directed to invite reference to the Press Note dated the 3rd November 1941 issued by the Publicity Officer to Government on the above subject, and to state that the recruitment will take place at Mysore on Monday the 22nd December 1941 at the District Office Court Hall and on Tuesday the 23rd at the Army Recruiting Office, Bangalore. I am to enclose herein a copy of the Recruiting Pamphlet for the Royal Indian Navy since received from the Residency, for your information, and to request that wide publicity may kindly be given to the visit of the party in the State.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

For Chief Secretary to Government.

The reply to this communication should be addressed to the Secretary to the Resident in Mysore, Bangalore, by designation and not by name.

Urgent

No. F.73-40/W. W 4-40-20.

886/W

FROM

THE SECRETARY TO THE HON'BLE THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE.

To

The Chief Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, Bangalore.

CHIEF SECRETARY. 5 DEC. 1941 GOVT. OF MYSORE.

Dated Bangalore, the 5th December *1941*.

Recruitment for the Royal Indian Navy.

SIR,

I am directed to refer to your letter No.Pol.783/W, dated the 1st November 1941 and to thank the Government of Mysore for the arrangements made for living and office accommodation for the Naval Recruiting party at Mysore.

2. The Naval Recruiting Officer is arranging to publish a notice in the Bangalore "Daily Post" regarding his visit to Bangalore and Mysore; but he regrets that it is now too late to advertise the visit in the vernacular papers. He adds that the suggestion made by the Government of Mysore will however be borne in mind for future tours.

3. The Recruiting Officer, while at Mysore, desires to deliver a lantern lecture to school boys on the Royal Indian Navy on the evening of Sunday, the 21st December 1941. I am to request that, if possible, arrangements may kindly be made for the lecture at a suitable school and publicity given to it. A similar lecture has been arranged at St. Joseph's European High School, Bangalore, on the evening of 23rd December 1941.

4. I am to request the favour of an early reply.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

M Daman Rao.

for SECRETARY TO THE RESIDENT.

Appendix F G—1]

SUBJECT.....

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Diary No. of letter replied to.....

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Date of issue 11 - 12 - 1941

Signed by Mrs. S. K. V.

on the evening of Sunday the 21st Dec. 41;

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Section War

File No. 4-40

Serial No. 21

No. Col 1050

To The Secy to the Hon'ble the Resident

Recruitment for the Royal Indian Navy

Sir,

With reference to your letter no F. 73-40/W. of 5th Dec. 41 on the above subject. I am directed to state that the D. M. Mysore has been requested to make the necessary arrangements for the lecture ~~at the Maharaja's High School~~ Mysore ~~and publicity given to it~~

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Chief Secy to Govt

Memo. 1084/W dt 11.12.41

Encl

Copy of the above is forwarded with a copy of his letter of 5th Dec. 41, in continuation of the office letter no. 962/W of 1st Nov. 41 on the subject for information and necessary action.

MS 6.12.41

URGENT.

11th December 1941.

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The

Recruitment for the Royal Indian Navy.

With reference to your letter No.F.73-40/W dated the 5th December 1941 on the above subject, I am directed to state that the District Magistrate, Mysore, has been requested to make the necessary arrangements for the lecture on the evening of Sunday the 21st December 1941, and for publicity being given to it.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

(Sd.) B.T. Kesavaiengar.

For Chief Secretary to Government.

Memo No. 1087/W Dated the 11th December 1941.

Encl

Copy of the above is forwarded with compliments to the District Magistrate, Mysore District, for information and necessary action with a copy of Residency letter dated the 5th December 1941 in continuation of this office letter No.962/W dated the 1st November 1941 on the subject.

for

For Chief Secretary to Govt.

No. P.W.4576/S
ENCLS.

PUBLIC WORKS SECRETARIAT,

Dated Bangalore, 15/12/ 194 /.

FROM

The *Secretary to Government,*
Public Works Department,
Bangalore.

To

The Chief Engineer of Mysore,
Bangalore.

SIR,

Subject:- Recruitment for the Royal Indian Navy

In continuation of this office letter No.3043 dated 18-11-41 requesting to arrange for the reservation of a room free of rent in the Hotel Metropole, Mysore for the use of the naval officer on the 21st and 22nd December 1941, I am directed to inform that no free boarding is contemplated and it may be charged for at the rates prescribed.

I have the honour to be,
Sir
Your most obedient servant,

Sd. M.G.Mehkri

Secretary to Government
Public Works Department

Copy -

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No. F.73-40/W.

1294/W

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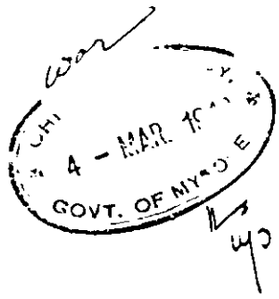
THE SECRETARY TO THE HON'BLE THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE.

To

The Chief Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, Bangalore.



Dated Bangalore, the 4th March *194* 2

Recruitment for the Royal Indian Navy.

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SIR,

I am directed to inform you that recruitment for the Royal Indian Navy Boys Training Establishments, H.M.I.S.'Bahadur' and 'Dilawar', Karachi, Sind, has been co-ordinated and that selection is held twice a year for entry in January and July.

2. The Naval Recruiting Officer for Boys proposes to hold the selection in Bangalore for the July 1942 entry on the 15th April 1942-vide his tour programme enclosed. He has requested the Recruiting Officer, Bangalore, to arrange with the local educational authorities for a suitable place for examination on that date.

3. It is understood that the Naval Recruiting Officer for Boys has already requested the Director of Public Instruction in Mysore to assist in making the visit known and asking Headmasters of schools to bring forward boys who are suitable and wish to join.

4. I am directed to request that, if there is no objection, all possible steps may kindly be taken to make the visit a success. The place of examination will be intimated in due course.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

SECRETARY TO THE RESIDENT.

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ROYAL INDIAN NAVY

THE NAVAL RECRUITING OFFICER FOR BOYS

H.M.I.S. "BAHADUR" & "DILAWAR"

S O U T H I N D I A - RECRUITING TOUR PROGRAMME

The following places will be visited by the above Officer during March and April 1942 to recruit B O Y S between the ages of 14 and 17 for the Royal Indian Navy. Boys between the ages of 14 and 15½ are eligible for entry into H.M.I.S. "DILAWAR", the Junior Boys Training Establishment, Chinna Creek, Karachi. After one year's training in "DILAWAR" (mainly educational) boys are drafted to H.M.I.S. "BAHADUR", the Senior Boys Training Establishment, Manora, Sind where they obtain about eighteen months Naval training. Boys between the ages of 15½ and 17 may enter H.M.I.S. "BAHADUR" direct provided they possess the necessary medical and educational qualifications.

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1740/12th March	MADRAS	13th/14th March 2045/15th March
0648/16th "	TRICHINOPOLY	16th " 0720/17th "
1127/17th "	MADURA	18th " 1145/18th "
1613/19th "	TINNEVELLY	20th " 0833/21st "
1850/21st "	TRIVANDRUM	23rd " 1852/23rd "
2127/23rd "	QUILON	24th " 0900/25th "
1400/25th "	ERNAKULAM	26th " 1341/27th "
1601/27th "	TRICHUR	28th " 1156/29th "
1707/29th "	CALICUT	30th " 1137/31st "
1338/31st "	CANNANORE	1st April 1034/ 2nd April
1455/ 2nd April	MANGALORE	3rd " 0905/ 4th "
1700/ 4th "	MERCARA	6th " 0700/ 7th "
1901/ 7th "	PALGHAT	8th " 1000/ 9th "
1256/ 9th "	COIMBATORE	10th " 0721/12th "
1224/12th "	SALEM	13th " 0630/14th "
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Boys who wish to be selected should fully realise the Conditions of Service of the Royal Indian Navy, i.e. the periods of training and Service, the pay and prospects, type of food, uniform, leave, pensions, etc. Pamphlets and information can always be obtained on application to The Commanding Officer, H.M.I.S. "BAHADUR", Manora, Sind.

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No. 1938/W + Encs 2 Dt. 7.3.42

To

The Dr. of Public Instruction.

Sir,

Recruitment for the Royal Indian Navy.

I am directed to forward for information a copy of Residency letter No.F.75-40/W dated the 4th March 1942 regarding the visit of the Naval Recruiting Officer to Bangalore in April 1942, and to request you to kindly render all possible assistance to the Officer during his visit to Bangalore.

(I am to add that a Press Note will be issued by the Publicity Officer in this connection.)

I have etc.,

Chief Secy. to Govt.

No. 1939/W + Encs 2 Dt. 6/3.

Copy to the Dist. Magistrate, Bangalore, with a copy of Residency letter dated the 4th March 1942, for information.

7th March 1942.

No. 1938/W. - Encs 2

The Director of Public Instruction in Mysore.

Recruitment for the Royal Indian Navy.

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Sir,

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(Sd.) M.G. Mehkri.

Chief Secretary to Government.

Memo No. 1939/W. - Encs 2 Dated the 7th March 1942.

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For Chief Secretary to Government.

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ROYAL INDIAN NAVY.
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H.M.I.S. "BAHADUR" & "DILAWAR"
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VERY URGENT.

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No. F.73-40/42.

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FROM

THE SECRETARY
TO THE HON'BLE THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE.

To

The Chief Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, Bangalore.

Dated Bangalore, the 11th April *1942.*

Recruitment for the Royal Indian Navy.

SIR,

I am directed to refer to paragraph 4 of my letter No.F.73-40/42, dated the 4th March 1942.

2. It is proposed to hold the examination at the M.B.A.N.E. High School, Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, at 9 A.M. on 15th April 1942.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

for SECRETARY TO THE RESIDENT.

Subd. In their letter dated the 4th March 42 the Resy. had stated that the place of examination will be intimated in due course. They have now intimated the place and time of examination. This will be intimated to the D. P. I. Subd. with letter to D. P. I. and memo to D. H. B'lore in continuation of the previous letter.

NOTE—Cont. Sheet.

W.D.C.4155- G.H.B.—65,000—23-10-41

ROYAL INDIAN NAVY.
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IMMEDIATE.

2408/W

12th April 1942.

The Director of Public Instruction in Mysore.

Recruitment for the Royal Indian Navy.

In continuation of this office letter No.1938/W dated the 7th March 1942 on the above subject, I am directed to state that the Residency have since written to say that it is proposed to hold the examination at the R.I.B.A.N.M. High School, C. & M. Station, Bangalore, at 9 A.M. on the 15th April 1942.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

(Sd.) M.G. Mehkri.

Chief Secretary to Government.

Memo No.2409/W Dated the 12th April 1942.

Copy of the above is forwarded with compliments to the District Magistrate, Bangalore District, in continua-